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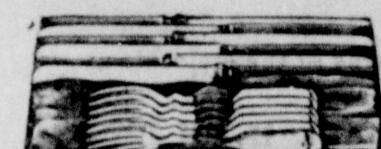
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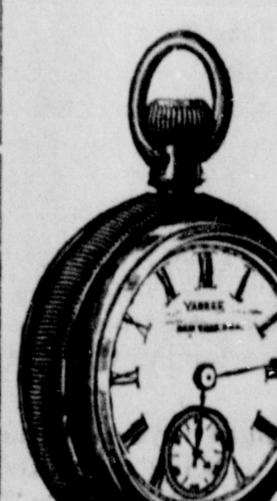
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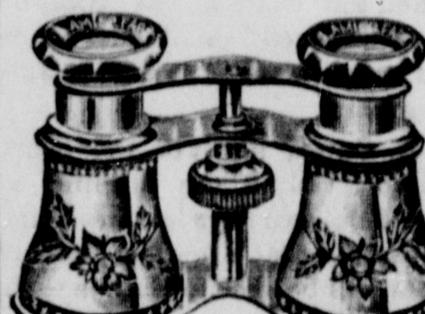
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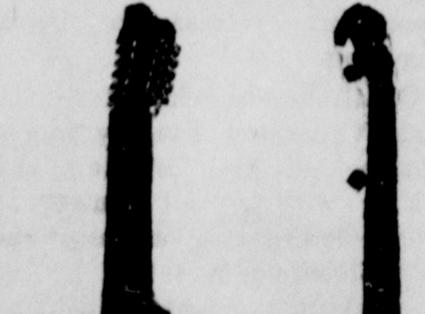
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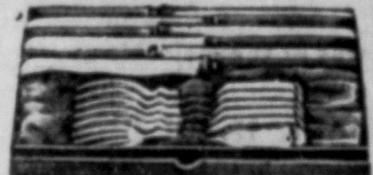
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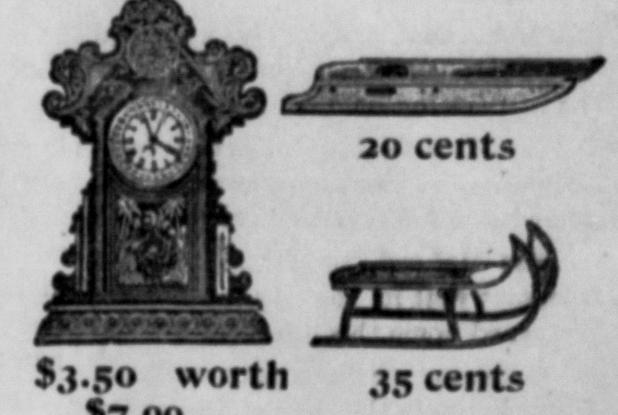
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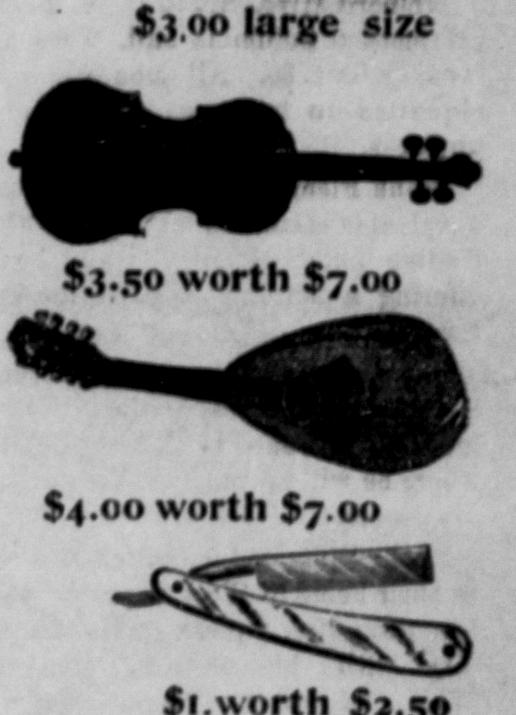
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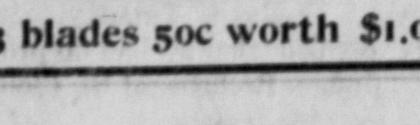
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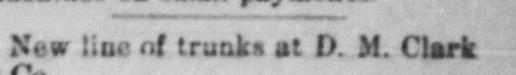
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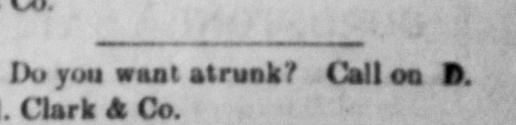
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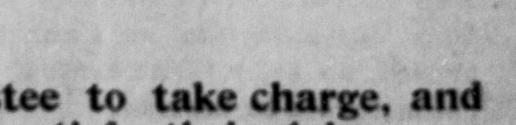
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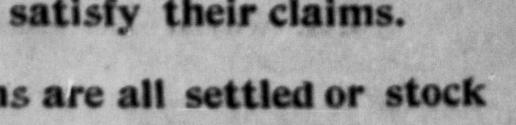
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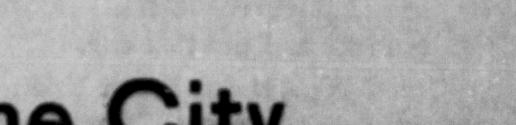
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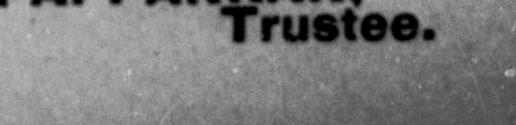
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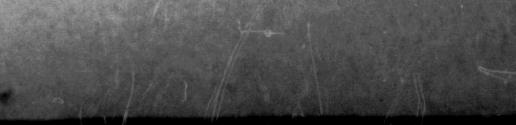
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A QUEER CASE.

Resident of Swan River Said to Have Been Shot and Killed by

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As near as can be learned, Kuicinski was taken suddenly ill and Dr. Richards was called. The doctor arrived a short time before the man died and gave him some medicine to stop his pains, but thought that there was little hope of his living, as there was all evidence that blood poisoning had set in. Coronor Dumont was called the next morning after the man had died and was told that Dr. Richards had given the man medicine that had caused his death.

The coroner examined the man and found no sign of poison and relieved the family of all fears in that line. The man was buried in the Swan River cemetery and nothing more was thought of the matter until another resident of that town said that he had shot a man while he was in the act of stealing a pig. Neither of the doctors called was told anything about the man being shot, and no examination was made of his body for wounds and it was supposed that he had died from injuries received in a fall.

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Last night about 9 o'clock there was a cutting affray at the Salvation Army barracks in this city that might have resulted seriously, had the knife in the hands of the assailant penetrated the skin just two inches lower than it did.

It seems that the row emanated from a very insignificant matter and there was really no cause for pulling a knife and creating any very big amount of disturbance. It was simply a case of young boys "looking for trouble."

It is reported that a number of young men went over to the Salvation Army barracks to take in the meeting. Arthur DuBois also went to the same place but not with the other young men. He states that he was minding his own business and never spoke a word to the other fellows. When he got ready to leave, however, he was interfered with and had some difficulty in getting to the door. Naturally he resented any resistance and a frantic encounter ensued between DuBois and one of the young men. DuBois lost his hat and when he stooped down to pick it up a knife was seen to flash in the air and it was thrust at DuBois. The blade hit him on the left temple and severed an artery. He ran to the McCarthy restaurant where he is employed, was put to bed and Dr. Thabes was called. The boy bled terribly for a time and grew very weak, but the blood was finally stopped and he seemed to revive before midnight.

TRAVELING CHEAT.

Man and Wife who Worked Brainerd are Very Much Sought After By Oklahoma Attorney General.

Many residents of Brainerd will remember a man by the name of J. E. Johnson who worked insurance in the city about a year and a half ago for the Phenix Insurance Co., of New York. His wife was also along and while Johnson plied his avocation among the gentlemen of the city she worked many of the ladies for insurance. Those who took policies and also those who were solicited will be interested in the following bit of information taken from the weekly Independent of New York:

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This notice and request reminds us how rapidly the country is growing for the name of Oklahoma is hardly a dozen years old, and also how easy a field is for insurance. Without further report of details, we assume that this man Johnson traveled to cheat and cheated to travel. Necessarily, he sold policies on very favorable terms, refusing no offer, and this would compel him to be a rover, because as soon as the local agent who found himself under-odd discovered the fraud he would invoke the law in his own defense.

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Sale of seats will open tomorrow morning at H. P. Dunn & Co's drug store.

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Please Accept Our Thanks.

Our trade for 1901 has been the best in the store's history. We have only our friends and patrons to thank for our past success, and we feel incompetent on this occasion to fully express our sentiments. Nineteen hundred and one is gone. We thank you. Nineteen hundred and two is here. We wish you all the happiness it may bring. With wishing you a merry Christmas and a happy New Year, we remain,

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W. G. CLARK IS FREE AGAIN.

He Was Up Before Judge Mantor this Morning but No One Appeared Against Him And he was Discharged.

W. G. Clark was up before Judge Mantor for a hearing this morning but was discharged, there being no one in court to appear against him.

Clark is the man who was charged by the W. H. Wilcox Company, of St. Charles, Ill., with appropriating about \$800 to his own use, it being claimed that this amount was sent him to buy potatoes for the above firm.

On a former hearing Clark was discharged on motion of Acting County Attorney Blewett and at the time he made a grand stand exit from the city for fear of rearrest.

He was rearrested, however, at New Paynesville, his home, a short time ago and brought back to the city. W. H. Wilcox, who was in the city on the former hearing, felt that it would not pay to come out again evidently, and was not here today when the case was called.

Bargain Table.

That is a table of REAL bargains. 75c child's shoes and artics for 25c. \$1.50 mens' and ladies' slippers for 50c. \$2.00 boys' and girls' shoes for 75c. \$2.50 mens' and ladies' shoes and slippers, \$1.00.

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MR. AND MRS. CONGDON SAIL.

Letters Received in the City Announcing Their Proposed Trip in European Countries.

A very neat little booklet comes from New York which is in the form of an announcement from Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. Congdon of their future plans in connection with a trip to European countries to be gone two years. Mr. Congdon is a brother of J. C. Congdon of this city and at one time resided here.

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A STABBING AFFRAY ON SUNDAY NIGHT.

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No Arrests Have been Made, and If Young Man Recovers None will be.

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It seems that the row emanated from a very insignificant matter and there was really no cause for pulling a knife and creating any very big amount of disturbance. It was simply a case of young boys "looking for trouble."

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TRAVELING CHEAT.

Man and Wife who Worked Brainerd are Very Much Sought After By Oklahoma Attorney General.

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Recorder—Hattie S. Britton.

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